

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2128**

PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 04739.0081-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Morio Oba et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2128
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Application No. 10/812,935)	Examiner: Saif A. Alhija
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Filed: March 31, 2004)	Confirmation No. 5293
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed April 30, 2009, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are included in the attached replacement drawing sheet(s). The amendments are discussed in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include **one replacement sheet of drawings (Fig. 9) and Figs. 10-1, 10-2, and 10-3.**